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U. S. EXPEDITION FROM TEXAS LINE FORCED TO WAIT

Lack of Enough Men to Protect
Communication Line
Delays Chase

COL. SIBLEY ASKS FOR REINFORCEMENTS AT ONCE

Eighth Cavalry Now 200 Miles
From Base; Villa Force
is Gathering

[Associated Press by Federal Wireless]
LAKE ITASCATE, Mexico, May 15.—Julio Cardenas, a well-known Villa leader, and two others have been killed near the Rubio ranch in a fight with American troops. A detachment of 11 Americans under Lieut. George Patten went to the ranch-house to purchase forage when the bandits appeared and suddenly opened fire on them. A rifle duel ensued in which the three Mexicans were killed while the others took to flight. There were no American casualties.

MARATHON, Tex., May 15.—Col. Frederick W. Sibley, of the 14th Cavalry, has requested General Funston that reinforcements be sent to augment the punitive expedition which has crossed the border under Major Langhorne. This expedition, started after the bandit raid on Glenn Springs and the Big Bend country, is awaiting reinforcements before continuing its dash southward. News has come that a Villa force has been gathered to meet it.

The 8th Cavalry is now 200 miles from its base, without having sufficiently protected its line of communication, and more troops must be sent to strengthen the line.

WARD CASE GOES FOR PLAINTIFF IN LONG FIGHT

San Francisco Appellate Court
Affirms Judgment Against
Inter-Island Co.

[Associated Press by Federal Wireless]
LOS ANGELES, Cal., May 15.—The federal circuit court of appeals today awarded \$13,097 to George E. Ward, a machinist for the Inter-Island Steam Navigation Company, who was injured by the breaking of a cable. The decision today sustains the Honolulu decision.

This decision ends one of the most notable of recent court cases originating in Hawaii. The suit was brought in 1913 for \$50,000, Ward having been badly hurt when a cable broke. His spine, skull and hips were injured. Circuit Judge H. E. Cooper non-suited the case, and Attorneys Douthitt & Coke, representing Ward, took the case to the supreme court, which reversed Cooper and sent the case to Circuit Judge Robinson for trial. After further fighting of the case in the lower court, the supreme court upheld a jury of the lower court in a judgment for \$13,097 and the Inter-Island then carried the case to the federal court of appeals. Attorney E. A. Douthitt argued the case on behalf of Ward before the San Francisco court last October 22 and the decision has been pending ever since.

STRANGE GIVEN HIS COMMISSION IN BRITISH ARMY

Harry L. Strange, manager of the Honolulu Gas Company, now on leave to serve with the British colors, has been given a commission as second lieutenant in the Royal Engineers. Acting Manager Cannon of the gas company received a cablegram yesterday in which Strange gives the news. He also sends his "aloha" to the gas company, the Ad Club, Pan-Pacific Club, British Association, friends in Hawaii generally and the press.

J. M. TUCKER DIES.

J. M. Tucker, who had been a resident of Honolulu for the last 30 years, died at the Insane Asylum at 12:30 o'clock this afternoon. The remains will be held at Williams' Undertaking establishment at 1:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. Tucker is survived by a sister residing in California. He was 73 years old.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET TODAY

Following are the closing prices of stocks on the New York market today, sent by the Associated Press over the Federal Wireless:

	Today.	Satur.
Alaska Gold	23 1/2	23 1/2
American Smelter	99 1/2	98 1/2
American Sugar Rfg	113 1/2	112 1/2
American Tel. & Tel	128 1/2	128 1/2
Anacosta Copper	85 1/2	84 1/2
Atchafson	104 1/2	103 1/2
Baldwin Loco.	90 1/2	89 1/2
Baltimore & Ohio	89 1/2	88 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	44 1/2	44 1/2
Calif. Petroleum	23 1/2	23 1/2
Canadian Pacific	176 1/2	178 1/2
C. M. & St. P. (St. Paul)	96 1/2	95 1/2
Colo. Fuel & Iron	44 1/2	43 1/2
Crucible Steel	84 1/2	82 1/2
Erie Common	37 1/2	37 1/2
General Electric	167 1/2	163 1/2
General Motors	120 1/2	119 1/2
Great Northern	111 1/2	112 1/2
Inter. Harv. N. Y.	56 1/2	56 1/2
Kennecott Copper	79 1/2	79 1/2
Lehigh R. R.	105 1/2	105 1/2
New York Central	57 1/2	56 1/2
Pennsylvania	23 1/2	22 1/2
Ray Consol.	98 1/2	98 1/2
Southern Pacific	144 1/2	141 1/2
Studebaker	47 1/2	46 1/2
Tennessee Copper	136 1/2	135 1/2
Union Pacific	85 1/2	83 1/2
U. S. Steel	116 1/2	116 1/2
U. S. Steel Pfd.	81 1/2	80 1/2
Utah	94 1/2	95 1/2
Western Union	63 1/2	62 1/2
Westinghouse	63 1/2	62 1/2

*Bid. †Ex-dividend. ‡Unquoted.

PORTO RICO SUGAR CROP TO BE LARGE

[Associated Press by Federal Wireless]

SAN JUAN, Porto Rico, May 15.—The revised estimate for the output of Porto Rican sugar this season shows a production which will exceed the previous estimates. It is expected that the production will be 463,000 tons as against 345,000 tons in 1915.

POSTMASTER IS LEAVING SOON; MAY NOT RETURN

W. F. Young Called to Wash-
ington for Conference on
Future Assignment

Within the next fifteen days Postmaster William F. Young will leave for Washington. A letter received by him today from First Assistant Postmaster-General Hon. Daniel C. Roper instructs him to report to him in Washington for a conference in regard to his future assignment.

This unexpected development in the postmaster's situation is expected to result in the hurrying of a large number of hats into the ring from would-be successors to Mr. Young. Nothing is said in today's letter, however, relative to Mr. Young's resignation, which was handed in some months ago, but on which no action has yet been taken by Washington, so far as is known here.

"I have not been notified of the acceptance of my resignation," said Postmaster Young this morning. "It is in the hands of the department. It (Continued on page three)

RAILROADS INVESTIGATION FAVORED BY COMMITTEE

The traffic and transportation committee of the Chamber of Commerce this afternoon decided to recommend to the chamber that it vote in the affirmative on the referendum being conducted by the National Chamber of Commerce on the question of whether or not Congress should instruct the Interstate Commerce Commission to conduct an investigation into the railroad labor situation.

"There is one provision in the amendments of the Rapid Transit Company's franchise that the public utilities committee of the Chamber of Commerce is not quite certain about. So it adjourned a meeting held this afternoon until the members could consult with the public utilities commission now in Hilo.

OKUMA SENDS REGRETS TO ART SMITH, INJURED BY DISAPPOINTED CROWD

[Associated Press by Federal Wireless]
TOKIO, Japan, May 15.—Premier Okuma today telegraphed his sympathy to the American aviator, Art Smith, who was injured by a mob at Osaka yesterday when he was disappointed by not flying. The crowd was angered by the delay, wrecked the banger and the machine and hurt Smith.

Petition for a passport has been made in the federal court by Au H. Young, who intends to travel in Japan and China.

CHINESE-GERMAN MOVE HERE SAID TO RAISE FUNDS

Reputed "Iron Cross Society"
By Which Orientals Give
Money for Teuton Cause

METAL BADGES AND CERTIFICATES USED

Papers Signed By German
Names Shown in Posses-
sion of Laundryman

Chinese residents of Honolulu are in a movement to help the German cause which seems deeper and farther reaching than any mere devotion they may feel toward antagonism to Japan. More than two Chinese of Honolulu, it is declared, are members of an "Iron Cross Society" and bear certificates written out in German script, and have given money to the German cause. In addition, to holding these certificates some of the members of the society have in their possession iron badges purporting to be of an Austro-German alliance. For these they are said to have paid an agent \$1 each.

Printed petitions are being circulated by Chinese to send a doctor of Honolulu of German blood to the military hospitals of the Fatherland, and more than \$120 in gold has already been subscribed by Chinese citizens of Honolulu. More is coming in daily.

These are a few of the facts brought out by the Star-Bulletin in an investigation of a rumor that Honolulu Chinese are back of a movement here to help the German cause.

Old Yuen Wo, a Chinese laundryman whose establishment is on Fort street, at the end of Kukui street, seems to be one of the leaders of the "Chinese-German" party, and has many papers in his possession establishing this fact.

Yuen Wo, with characteristic Chinese philosophy, does not spread his secrets to the winds. Instead he keeps them safely stowed away in a rusty iron safe that sits far back in the darkened corners of his laundry upon the dirt floor and beneath a heap of laundry benches and baskets whereon hang newly washed clothes.

Shows His "Iron Cross." His own patriotism, however, and his evident love for the German cause led him, after the bars of formality had been let down, to bring forth the papers that he prizes so much. He showed them to a member of the Star-Bulletin staff, and held the iron badge to his breast that the newspaperman might see how it looked when worn as it ought to be.

When the newspaperman called, Yuen Wo was busy at his work. About him labored half a dozen of his employees, rubbing out the wrinkles of the clothes before them with their huge irons, and interspersing the rubbing

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COULD SHAFROTH REPUDIATE JUDGE STUART THUSLY?

Cold-Hearted Report From
Washington Senator Says
It Ain't His Affair

Where is Judge Stuart's famous letter of resignation? It will be remembered in judicial, political and comic-section circles, Judge Stuart received from Senator Shafroth the resignation which he had entrusted to the senator to be presented to the department of justice "in a certain contingency." The supposed contingency being the reappointment of Chief Justice Robertson and Circuit Judge Whitney, the resignation was to be submitted but Shafroth didn't do it. Instead, he sent it back to Judge Stuart.

Next Judge Stuart sent the missive on its way again, back to the Colorado senator, to be handed to the department of justice for sure. It has been expected for some days that the department would act accordingly.

But now comes a private letter from Washington which gives the following interesting information: Senator Thomas received the judge's resignation the second time but said he was not inclined to present it to the department of justice.

He said he was not responsible for Judge Stuart's appointment and didn't see why the jurist persisted in mixing him, John F. Shafroth, up in the judge's affairs.

He said he was inclined to send the resignation back to Judge Stuart. This letter from the "inside" goes on to say that if the judge's resignation ever gets presented to the department, it is going to be accepted.

This latter information corresponds with that which the Star-Bulletin's Washington correspondent sent some weeks ago.

Possibly Judge Stuart's much-travelled resignation is on its way back here for the second time.

GREEK PROTESTS SILENCED BY MOVE OF BRITAIN; SIR ROGER CASEMENT IS ON TRIAL FOR PART IN IRISH REVOLT

COMPLETE PLANS ON RECLAMATION OUT AT WAIKIKI

Superintendent Forbes An-
nounces Details of Work
Long-Desired

Waikiki reclamation plans are completed. In a report made to the governor some time ago and which he today authorized to be made public, Charles R. Forbes, superintendent of public works, outlines a plan for the reclamation of the first unit of the swamp lands back of Kalakaua avenue—an area of nearly 47 acres.

Total cost of the project is figured at \$179,000. This is exclusive of the cost of road making, which will be under the supervision of the city. The report follows, in full:

Area to be Filled.
The area to be filled at this time, hereafter called the first unit, comprises a strip of land five hundred (500) feet wide, extending back from the mauka property line of Kalakaua avenue and parallel thereto, beginning at the road alongside the Moana tennis court and ending at the Honolulu Rapid Transit embankment on McCully street.

In addition we have included an irregular piece of ground behind this fill in order to completely fill two large ponds which the original boundary line bisects. The total area of the first unit is 46.75 acres, divided as follows:

1. Hawaiian Dredging Company, 7.83 acres.
2. Ahrens & Bowler, 18.52 acres.
3. J. A. Magson, 4.76 acres.
4. A. A. Young, 15.40 acres.
5. Queen Emma estate, 0.24 acres.

Survey.
A complete survey has been made of the first unit and substantial monuments and bench marks placed at the boundary corners. Plans have been prepared showing the boundaries of the fill, topographical features, private property lines and the method of taking cross-sections. The cross-sections themselves have been plotted to

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KAMEHAMEHA DAY BENEFIT BALL TO BE GALA AFFAIR

Tomorrow evening the big benefit concert and dance for funds for the Kamehameha Day pageant will be given in the National Guard armory under the auspices of the Kamehameha Day celebration committee. The grand march will begin at 8 o'clock sharp and will be led by Mayor John C. Lane, who is also chairman of the Kamehameha Day committee.

William E. Miles, secretary of the committee, was busy all day today at the armory arranging decorations.

CAPLAN JURY IS STILL DEBATING

[Associated Press by Federal Wireless]
LOS ANGELES, Cal., May 15.—Failing to reach an agreement in their deliberations over the Caplan case, the jury today sent word to the judge asking to be called into court. The judge refused this permission and sent a message to the jury telling it to continue its deliberations.

David Caplan is charged with criminal complicity in the dynamiting of the Los Angeles Times building, in connection with the McNamara and Orttie McManis.

A legal duel between the prosecution and the defense in the trial of Lee Chung Hym for larceny in the first degree resulted in a draw when the case was postponed until tomorrow. Practically every question put to witness by either side was objected to by the other.

Charles C. Lively, a private in the Hospital Corps at Schofield Barracks, was fined \$20 and costs in police court this morning for having opium and morphine in his possession. Lively has been suspected for some time of being an opium dealer. He was arrested Saturday.

Napolelei was accused of stealing two quarts of milk at 4:30 this morning from a patron in Kanoa lane of the Honolulu Dairymen's Association. He will be tried tomorrow.

CONNIE MACK'S CREW WIN AND PASS CHICAGO

Victory Over St. Louis Browns
Today Sends Them to Sixth
Place; Giants Win

[Associated Press by Federal Wireless]
PHILADELPHIA, Pa., May 15.—By winning from Fielder Jones' Browns this afternoon the Athletics, despised by others at the first of the year, jumped ahead of the White Sox in the league race. Washington and Cleveland continued to add to their record by winning from the Tigers and Yanks. The Giants have taken a new lease of life, having won seven straight games on the western trip. The scores of the games today were as follows:

AMERICAN LEAGUE.	
At Philadelphia—Philadelphia 5, St. Louis 4.	
At Washington—Washington 6, Detroit 5.	
At New York—Cleveland 6, New York 4.	
At Boston—Rain.	
NATIONAL LEAGUE.	
At Chicago—New York 3, Chicago 2.	
At Pittsburgh—Pittsburgh 8, Boston 7.	
At Cincinnati—Philadelphia 7, Cincinnati 4.	
At St. Louis—Brooklyn 4, St. Louis 2.	

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Brooklyn	13	6	.684
Boston	12	8	.600
Philadelphia	12	10	.545
Chicago	12	12	.500
St. Louis	13	13	.500
Cincinnati	12	15	.444
Pittsburgh	10	16	.385
New York	8	13	.350

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Cleveland	16	9	.640
Washington	16	9	.640
New York	12	12	.500
Boston	13	13	.500
Detroit	13	14	.481
Philadelphia	14	14	.500
Chicago	11	16	.407
St. Louis	8	15	.348

PROSPERITY AND PEACE, WILSON'S 1916 PLATFORM

[Associated Press by Federal Wireless]
WASHINGTON, D. C., May 15.—John Wescott, attorney-general for the state of New Jersey, will make the speech nominating President Wilson at the St. Louis convention. He made the nomination speech for Wilson in 1912 at Baltimore.

The president's advisers are mapping out the platform which will be promulgated. It is understood that its principal planks will be those on the maintenance of peace and on national prosperity.

CONVENTION IN CHICAGO TO TAX HALL'S CAPACITY

CHICAGO, Ill., May 15.—James Reynolds, secretary of the Republican convention committee, today opened headquarters at the Coliseum, preparatory to the convention in June.

Private advice received in Honolulu says that the seating capacity of the great building will be taxed by the convention crowds and that admission is already difficult to arrange.

ARMY BILL SOON BEFORE HOUSES

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 15.—The house and senate conferees today are arranging the final details of the compromise army bill, which is to be reported within a very short time to both houses. It will be along the lines announced Saturday.

Chief of Staff Gen. Scott and Secretary of War Baker conferred today.

Noted Leader, Captured on Filibustering Expedition, May Be Charged With High Treason—Asquith in Belfast ---British Active on West Front

[Associated Press Service by Federal Wireless]
LONDON, England, May 15.—Foreign Minister Sir Edward Grey announced this afternoon that the outstanding differences between Greece and the Allies have been settled, the British diplomats having reached an agreement with Athens by which Serbian troops which escaped to Corfu may be transported to the Saloniki front. This agreement, Grey says, will not violate Greek neutrality in operation.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 15.—Great Britain's repeated seizure of mail from the United States to European countries, and vice versa, has reached the point where an emphatic American protest will be lodged with the British government.

Secretary Lansing and his associates of the state department are now preparing the protest, which is characterized as "very vigorous."

The British interference with mails is declared to be intolerable. The United States takes the position that this government can no longer countenance the seizure and detention of mails, particularly the mail of neutral nations.

The United States has made previous protests, to which the British foreign office has replied, but the reply as given recently is not at all satisfactory.

Sir Roger Casement Faces Police Court Bar; Treason May Be Charge

LONDON, Eng., May 15.—Sir Roger Casement, who went on a filibustering expedition from Germany to Ireland to lead the rebellion there, and who was captured and brought to London, faced the bar of the famous old Bow Street police court today in the beginning of what promises to be a sensational case.

The preliminary examination which began today is for the purpose of determining whether Casement shall stand trial on a charge of high treason.

Daniel Bailey, a soldier, was arrested yesterday on a charge similar to that in which Casement is held. Not for years has there been such keen interest displayed in a court case in London. The room and corridors were crowded with a tensely-absorbed audience.

It is reported that Sir Roger has made a statement to the authorities outlining his position, and it is believed that this will render unnecessary much taking of evidence and thus shorten the hearing.

In opening, Sir Frederick Smith, attorney-general, said that Sir Roger had described himself as organizer of the Irish volunteers, and has impressed upon Irish prisoners in Germany that everything could be gained for Ireland by Germany winning the conflict.

(NOTE.—Reports were sent out from London under date of May 4 that Sir Roger Casement had already been tried on a charge of high treason, having been captured several days previously. It was stated at that time that his counsel had pleaded insanity for him and attempted to mitigate the offense. This now appears not to have been the case, or else, following a statement taken in secret, he is now to be publicly tried.)

Asquith Trying to Get Irish Together?

[Associated Press by Federal Wireless]
LONDON, Eng., May 15.—It was announced today that Premier Asquith is now in Belfast, Ireland, working on plans to pacify the rebellious element and end the disorders.

His continued presence there gives color to the reports that he is endeavoring to arrange a coalition between the two great Irish factions for a temporary government in Ireland.

GERMAN OFFICIAL CABLEGRAMS

GERMAN HEADQUARTERS, May 13.—Between Argonne and Meuse lively hand grenade engagements are taking place on isolated places. The enemy's attempts to gain terrain in Avocourt and Malincourt forests were frustrated. An enemy's night attack southwest of Mortomme was crushed by German infantry fire.

The French suffered considerable losses on the east bank of the Meuse in a fruitless attack of a quarry west of the Albeir forest.

A German fighting flyer shot down a hostile biplane above Bourguignon forest southwest of Laon. An English aeroplane on May 11 was shot down by German defensive fire southwest of Armentieres.

In the eastern war theater, north of Selburg station, the Russians attempted an attack against trenches recently conquered by the Germans, but were crushed when starting. More than 100 prisoners were captured.

GERMAN HEADQUARTERS, May 14.—A reconnoitering detachment entered the enemy's second line near Ployegsteert woods north of Armentieres, exploded sap and returned with 10 British prisoners. In the district

On the east front there are no particular events. In the Balkan sector an enemy's flyer which dropped bombs on Mirvoka and Dobran was chased by anti-aircraft gun fire.

Additional and overnight telegraph news on Page 2.